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# WELDING INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** WIR-011920 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 07-Feb-2010

City: Oakland, CA 94607

**OSM Arrival Time:** 700 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 1900 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

**CWI Name: CWI Present:** Yes Mr. Li lin/Mr. Gong liang zhu No **Inspected CWI report:** Yes N/A **Rod Oven in Use:** Yes No No N/A N/A **Electrode to specification:** Yes No Weld Procedures Followed: Yes No N/A N/A **Qualified Welders:** Yes No **Verified Joint Fit-up:** Yes No N/A N/A Yes No N/A **Approved Drawings:** Yes No **Approved WPS:** Yes No N/A **Delayed / Cancelled:** 

34-0006 **Bridge No: Component:** Tower

#### **Summary of Items Observed:**

On this date Caltrans OSM Quality Assurance(QA) Inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, was present during the times noted above for observations relative to the work being performed.

Bay no. 10

1. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 040434 perform FCAW welding on, Skin A fit lug at 143 mtr. Elevation on South tower, Lift 4, and weld joint identified as SSTL4-1K/L-100. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Li lin. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-T-2333-TC-P4-F.(Photo attached)

2. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 066477 perform FCAW welding on, Skin A fit lug on South tower, Lift 4, and weld joint identified as SSTL4-1J/L-98, 33. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Li lin. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-T-2333-TC-P4-F.

3. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 053829 perform SMAW repair welding on, Splice plate, and Plate no. identified as SA3-433/438. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Gong liang zhu. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-485-SMAW-2G (2F)-repair.

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4. This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, observed, ZPMC qualified welding personnel identified as 041716 perform SAW welding on, Spare strut splice plate, and weld joint identified as ED1-SA4-131m-81B. ZPMC CWI Identified as Mr. Yu dong ping. The welding parameters as measured using QC's calibrated instruments appeared to be in general compliance with WPS-B-T-3221-TC-U5-S-1. (Photo attached)

### Ultrasonic Testing:

This QA inspector, Baskar Govindarajan, performed Ultrasonic Testing (UT) of approximately 10% of the area previously tested and accepted at Tower components by ZPMC Quality Control personnel. This QA Inspector generated a TL-6027 UT report for this date. The member is identified as Spare strut at Bay no. 10. The weld designation reviewed is as follows:

ED1 - A 6001 - 3 - Jt. nos - 7,8 A/B

Unless otherwise noted, all work observed on this date appeared to generally comply with applicable contract documents.





#### **Summary of Conversations:**

No relevant conversations.

#### **Comments**

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Skyler Guest - 15000422360, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

**Inspected By:** 

Baskar, Govindarajan

Quality Assurance Inspector

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**Reviewed By:** Clifford,William QA Reviewer